



PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: Rao et al.

Serial No.: 10/789,465

Filed: February 27, 2004

For: PERSISTENT EXPRESSION OF CANDIDATE MOLECULE IN PROLIFERATING STEM AND PROGENITOR CELLS FOR DELIVERY OF

THERAPEUTIC PRODUCTS

Confirmation No.: 5295

Group Art Unit: 1636

Attorney Docket No.: 2923-5456.1US

CERTIFICATE OF MAILING

I hereby certify that this correspondence along with any attachments referred to or identified as being attached or enclosed is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as First Class Mail on the date of deposit shown below with sufficient postage and in an envelope addressed to the Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.

June 15, 2004

Date

Betty Vowles

Name (Type/Print)

SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In compliance with the duty to disclose information material to patentability pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.56, it is respectfully requested that this Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement be entered and the documents listed on attached Form PTO-1449 or PTO/SB/08 be considered by the Examiner and made of record. Copies of the listed documents are enclosed pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.98(a).

In accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.97(g) and (h), filing of this Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement is not to be construed as a representation that a search has been made or an admission that the information cited herein is, or is considered to be, material to patentability as defined in 37 C.F.R. § 1.56(b). Further, no representation is made by Applicants herein that no other possible material information as defined in 37 C.F.R. § 1.56(b) exists.

Serial No.: 10/789,465

Other Documents

KEYOUNG et al., High-yield selection and extraction of two promoter-defined phenotypes f neural stem cells from the fetal human brain, Nature Biotechnology, September 2001, pp. 843-50, Vol. 19.

ROY et al., Telomerase Immortalization of neuronally restricted progenitor cells derived from the human fetal spinal cord, Nature Biotechnology, March 2004, pp. 297-305, Vol. 22, No. 3.

In compliance with the duty to disclose information material to patentability pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.56, Applicants hereby identify the following listed copending applications naming a common inventor(s):

Attorney Docket No.:

2923-6486US

Serial No.:

To be assigned

Filing Date:

June 15, 2004

Title:

PERSISTENT EXPRESSION OF CANDIDATE MOLECULE IN

PROLIFERATING STEM AND PROGENITOR CELLS FOR

DELIVERY OF THERAPEUTIC PRODUCTS

This Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement is believed to be filed before the mailing date of a first Office Action on the merits; therefore, no fee is due.

Respectfully submitted,

Krista Weber Powell

Registration No. 47,867

Attorney for Applicant(s)

TRASKBRITT, P.C.

P.O. Box 2550

Salt Lake City, Utah 84110-2550

Telephone: 801-532-1922

Date: June 15, 2004

KWP/bv

Enclosures: Form PTO-1449 or PTO/SB/08

Cited Documents

Document in ProLaw

PTO/SB/08B(10-01)

Approved for use through 10/31/2002. OMB 0651-0031 U.S. Patent and Trademark Office: U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

k Reduction Act of 1995, no persons are required to respond to a collection of information unless it contains a valid OMB control number

JUN 1 8 2004 Ly Lynder the Paperson Reduction Act of 1995, n	PTO/S Approved for use through 10/31/2002. ON U.S. Patent and Trademark Office: U.S. DEPARTMENT OF opersons are required to respond to a collection of information unless it contains a valid OME	
Substitute for form 1449A/PTO	Complete if Known	
INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT BY APPLICANT	Application Number	10/789,465
	Filing Date	February 27, 2004
	First Named Inventor	Rao et al.
	Group Art Unit	1636
(use as many sheets as necessary)	Examiner Name	To be assigned

OTHER PRIOR ART NON PATENT LITERATURE DOCUMENTS					
Examiner Initials *	Cite No.1				
		KEYOUNG et al., High-yield selection and extraction of two promoter-defined phenotypes f neural stem cells from the fetal human brain, Nature Biotechnology, September 2001, pp. 843-50, Vol. 19.			
		ROY et al., Telomerase Immortalization of neuronally restricted progenitor cells derived from the human fetal spinal cord, Nature Biotechnology, March 2004, pp. 297-305, Vol. 22, No. 3.			
			_		
	:				

Signature Considered	Examiner	Date	
	Signature	Considered	

Burden Hour Statement: This form is estimated to take 2.0 hours to complete. Time will vary depending upon the needs of the individual case. Any comments on the amount of time you are required to complete this form should be sent to the Chief Information Officer, U.S. Patent and Trademark Office, Washington, DC 20231. DO NOT SEND FEES OR COMPLETED FORMS TO THIS ADDRESS. SEND TO: Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.

^{*}EXAMINER: Initial if reference considered, whether or not citation is in conformance with MPEP 609. Draw line through citation if not in conformance and not considered. Include copy of this form with next communication to applicant.

¹ Unique citation designation number (optional). ² Applicant is to place a check mark here if English language Translation is attached.